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## NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

October 18, 2007



STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION: OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF:

FREDERIC PALMIERI, C.P.A. License No. 20CC02976900

TO PRACTICE ACCOUNTANCY
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Accountancy upon receipt of information that on May 16, 2005, respondent entered into a Consent Order with the Office of Insurance Fraud Prosecutor, State of New Jersey. Specifically, respondent was found to have violated the New Jersey Insurance Fraud Prevention Act N.J.S.A. 17:33A-1, et seq. With respect to claims for payment of insurance benefits submitted to Liberty Mutual Insurance Company. Respondent agreed to a \$5,000.00 civil penalty and a payment of \$1,000 in attorney's fees.

The above Order provides grounds for disciplinary action pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(k) in that respondent has violated a provision of N.J.S.A. 17:33a-1 et seq. and has been subject to a final

Order, entered in civil or administrative proceedings, that imposed civil penalties under that act.

In lieu of formal disciplinary proceedings pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-22, respondent, admitting to the allegations above, has voluntarily agreed to a three (3) year suspension of his license to practice accountancy, all of which shall be stayed and served as probation. The Board finding the within disposition set forth below to be adequately protective of the public health, safety and welfare,

IT IS ON THIS 18th DAY OF OCTOBER, 2007,

## ORDERED AND AGREED that:

- 1. Respondent's license to practice accountancy shall be suspended for three (3) years effective on the date of entry of this Order. All of said suspension shall be stayed.
- 2. Respondent shall upon entry of this Order, issue no reports for compilations, reviews, audit or forecasts without first receiving a pre-issuance review from a firm currently registered in the State of New Jersey and whose registration is in good standing.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

Albertus Jenkins

President

I have read the within Order, understand its terms and agree to be bound by them. I hereby consent to entry of the Order by the Board of Accountancy.

Frederic Palmieri

Respondent